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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
8 AT TACOMA

9 KEVIN A BROWN,

10 Plaintiff,

11 v.

12 DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS,
13 et al.,

Defendants.

CASE NO. 3:17-CV-05524-BHS-DWC

ORDER

14 The District Court has referred this action filed under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 to United States
15 Magistrate Judge David W. Christel. On December 1, 2017, Plaintiff filed a Motion requesting
16 the Court direct Defendants to provide initial disclosures. Dkt. 36. Defendants filed a Response
17 (Dkt. 38, 39), and Plaintiff filed his Reply on December 26, 2017. Dkt. 42. In his Reply, Plaintiff
18 requests the Motion be struck from the record because it was filed prematurely. Dkt. 42. As
19 Plaintiff requests the Motion be stricken, the Court denies the Motion as moot.

20 Dated this 5th day of January, 2018.

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22 David W. Christel
23 United States Magistrate Judge
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